

## **COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

AGENDA TITLE:

Adopt Resolution Awarding Contract for White Slough Water Pollution Control Facility Chlorine

Residual Analyzer Replacements to Borges & Mahoney Company, of Vallejo (\$15,700); and

Appropriate \$20,000

MEETING DATE:

October 17, 2001

PREPARED BY:

Public Works Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That the City Council adopt a resolution awarding the contract for the above project

to Borges & Mahoney Company, of Vallejo, in the amount of \$15,700; and

appropriate \$20,000 for the project.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: This project consists of replacing two 10+-year-old chlorine residual analyzers, which control the chlorine and sulfur dioxide dosages at the White Slough facility. The chlorine analyzers are critical to plant operations and in need of replacement

this budget cycle.

The two chlorine analyzers were installed in 1989 and in need of more frequent repairs, which indicate they are nearing the end of their useable life. Because the failure of either unit would cause a discharge violation, both units require replacement at this time. One fine for a discharge violation of this type could exceed the cost of replacement. Installation will be performed by Facility staff and our Instrumentation Contractor.

The requested appropriation is less than the budget project estimate because the original estimate, developed by our Master Plan consultant, included engineering and installation costs. The purchase and installation by City staff will result in significant savings. The additional appropriation over the contract amount is to cover contingencies during installation.

Specifications for this project were approved on September 5, 2001. There were three bid packages sent out, but this is the only bid the City received.

**FUNDING:** 

Requested Appropriation:

\$20,000- Wastewater Capital Budget

Budget Project Estimate (Page E 21):

\$55,000

Bid Opening Date:

September 26, 2001

Funding Available:

Vicky McAthie, Finance Director

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Fran E. Forkas, Water/Wastewater Superintendent

Del Kerlin, Assistant Wastewater Treatment Superintendent

APPROVED:

FR. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

## RESOLUTION NO. 2001-238

## A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AWARDING THE BID FOR THE CHLORINE RESIDUAL ANALYZER REPLACEMENTS FOR THE WHITE SLOUGH WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY ANALYZER

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WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council sealed bids were received and publicly opened on September 26, 2001 at 11:00 a.m. for the purchase of Chlorine Residual Analyzer Replacements for the White Slough Water Pollution Control Facility, described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on September 5, 2001; and

WHEREAS, Borges & Mahoney Company, of Vallejo, CA, submitted the sole bid received in the amount of \$15,700.00; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends award of the contract for the Chlorine Residual Analyzer Replacements for the White Slough Water Pollution Control Facility be made to the sole bidder, Borges & Mahoney Company, of Vallejo, CA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the contract for the Chlorine Residual Analyzer Replacements for the White Slough Water Pollution Control Facility be and the same is hereby awarded to Borges & Mahoney Company, of Vallejo, CA, the sole bidder, in the amount of \$15,700.00; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that funds in the amount of \$20,000.00 be appropriated for the project.

Dated: October 17, 2001

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2001-238 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held October 17, 2001, by the following vote:

AYES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - Hitchcock, Howard, Land, Pennino and

Mayor Nakanishi

NOES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

SUSAN J. BLACKSTON

City Clerk